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REFERENCE: [REDACTED] LAUNCH COMPLEX B

SHUANG-CHENG-TZU MISSILE TEST CENTER, CHINA

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES AT LAUNCH COMPLEX B.  
THE GANTRY HAS BEEN MOVED FORWARD FROM ITS  
PREVIOUS LOCATION SINCE [REDACTED]

2. LOCATION:

SHUANG-CHENG-TZU MISSILE TEST CENTER IS  
APPROXIMATELY 50 NM NE OF SHUANG-CHENG-TZU  
AT 4107N 10020E. LAUNCH COMPLEX "B": 4115N 10018E.

3. REMARKS:

NONE

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5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION:

6. NEGATION DATE:

NONE

7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE:

[REDACTED] 40 KH-4, 9 KH-7, [REDACTED]

8. DIMENSIONS/  
SPECIFICATIONS:

THE GANTRY IS 195 FT HIGH WITH A MAXIMUM  
WIDTH OF [REDACTED] OVER THE DRIVE MECHANISM  
AND A WIDTH OF [REDACTED] AT THE TOP. THE OPEN  
WORK SPACE BETWEEN THE UPRIGHT IS 25 FT WIDE  
AND HAS A HEIGHT OF 140 FT.

9. MISSION READOUT: THE TOP OF THE FLAME DEFLECTOR IS NOW UNCOVERED AND  
EARTH HAS APPARENTLY BEEN BACKFILLED AGAINST THE SIDEWALLS OF THE FLAME  
TROUGH. ADDITIONAL CONCRETE HAS BEEN POURED ON THE PAD APRON AND MORE  
CONSTRUCTION SCARRING IS VISIBLE IN THE AREA BETWEEN THE LAUNCH PAD AND  
THE SECOND RAIL SPUR.

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CONSTRUCTION IS ALSO CONTINUING ON THE RAIL LINE HEADING NORTH FROM  
THE TEST CENTER. THE ROADBED NOW EXTENDS APPROXIMATELY 24 NM NORTH OF  
LAUNCH COMPLEX B.

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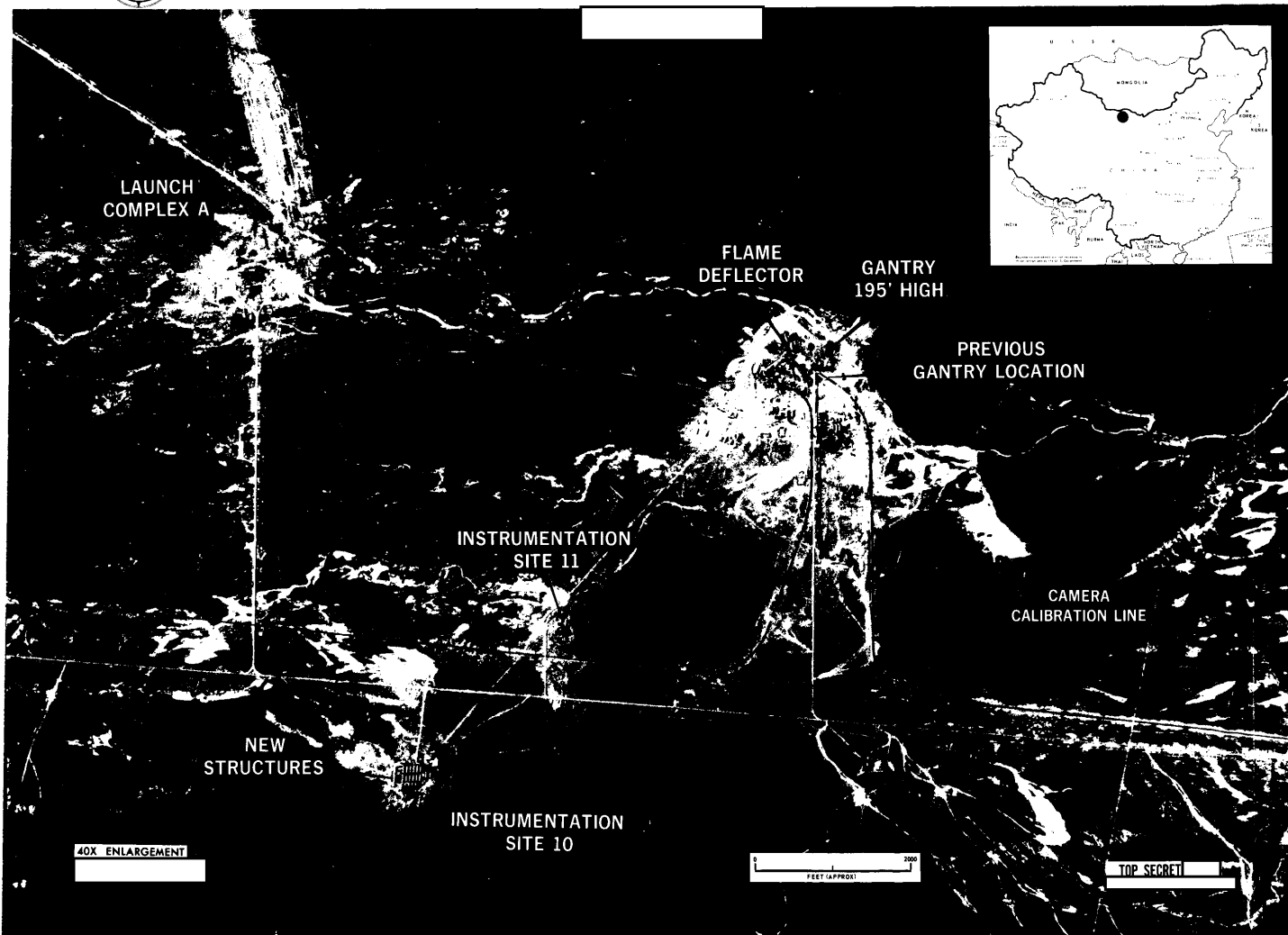
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